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CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Two Fires in Neighboring Towns—Candidates—Will Probated—Hugh Phelps—Ball For Wootton—Mad Dog.

Scolded her Daughter's Tutor.

At Hartford, Ky., Mrs. Webster Cate was held to answer to Circuit Court, under bond of \$1,000 for scolding young Kate Foreman, her daughter's tutor.

Will Ask For Bail.

T. W. Wootton, through his attorneys, has filed a petition and asked for a writ of habeas corpus, before Judge Jas. Breathitt, in order to secure bail. He has filed next Saturday Feb. 6 as the time for hearing the case on the application for bail. Mr. Wootton can give bond in any amount.

Baptist Circle Meetings.

The Seventh Circle of the Bethel Association of Baptists met at the Baptist church Saturday and a very entertaining program was carried out. The circle is composed of the Hopkinsville church and fourteen others in the northern part of the county. Other circle meetings were held at Locust Grove and Trenton on Saturday and Sunday.

Will Probate.

The will of John A. Lewis who died at Crofton Friday, was probated yesterday. The document directs that the house and lot in Crofton be given to his wife, Mrs. Sarah J. Lewis, and the remainder of his property is bequeathed to his children: O. A. West qualified as administrator and Messrs. L. R. Davis, C. M. Gray and T. J. Davis were appointed appraisers.

Bitten By a Mad Dog.

Jack Daws of the White Plains country, while en route home from Christian county, Saturday encountered a mad dog. The dog attacked Daws, biting him on the hand and finger. Mr. Daws had quite a fight with the dog, but finally succeeded in drawing his knife from his pocket and cutting the canine's throat. He immediately went to Henderson where a mad stone was applied to the wounds. It adhered several times.—Madisonville Mail.

Hugh Phelps Goes to Clarksville.

Mr. Hugh R. Phelps, the well known hotel man, left yesterday for Clarksville to assume the management of the Arlington Hotel. Mr. Phelps has been chief clerk of the Phoenix Hotel and Hotel Latham, in this city and manager of the Barret House, Henderson, and Hotel House, Owensboro, all good hotels, in which he acquired a wide and successful experience and a thorough knowledge of all the details of the hotel business. Mr. Phelps is a young man of fine character and excellent business qualifications and in going to Clarksville takes with him the good wishes of many friends. He has been in this city for some months, since he returned from Owensboro.

Judge John Phelps.

The formal announcement of Judge John Phelps as a Democratic candidate for circuit judge in this district, appears in our columns to-day. Judge Phelps is the only candidate Christian county will present for the nomination he seeks. He was a formidable candidate two years ago and will enter the contest with a strong following all over the district. Judge Phelps has frequently presided as pro tem judge and always with much credit to himself and satisfaction to the bar and litigants. He is one of the strongest members of the Hopkinsville bar, with a judicial mind, a ready store of legal knowledge and valuable experience coming from long and successful practice. Judge Phelps will undoubtedly be the leading candidate in the Murray convention, with flattering prospects of success.

J. T. Hanbery.

Judge J. T. Hanbery, judge of the Hopkinsville City Court, is announced to-day as a candidate for Commonwealth's Attorney in this the third judicial district. His claim is of course submitted to the action of the Democratic party, of which he is and has always been a loyal supporter. Judge Hanbery is a young man of fine promise in his profession and his rise has been rapid and steady since he law four or five years ago. As city judge he has shown himself capable of making an able and acceptable officer. He is a speaker of force and clearness. During the campaign last year was one of the most popular Democratic orators who canvassed Christian and Trigg counties. He is a fine mixer and agreeable gentleman and will prove to be a very formidable candidate for the office he is seeking.

Gasoline boats are getting plentiful in the Kentucky river.

MADISONVILLE HAS A FIRE.

Losses Aggregate \$25,000 with \$10,000 Insurance.

Madisonville, Ky., Jan. 29.—Madisonville was visited by a bad fire last night involving a loss of \$25,000. The fire originated in the Opera House, after the "Uncle Josh Sprucey" Company had vacated after a performance.

The fire was checked at Whittinghill's store, owing to the brave efforts of the fire ladders and the splendid wall that separated the store from the Opera Block.

The fire entailed a loss of about \$25,000 as follows: Jernigan & Ray, loss on building proper, \$9,000; loss on Opera House, \$3,000.

J. W. Smith & Co., saloon fixtures and stock, \$6,000.

Dunkerson & Thomson, stock of groceries, \$3,500.

J. B. Waltrip & Son, stock of groceries, \$3,500.

Tons of fruits, confectioneries and household furniture, \$1,000.

Insurance is as follows:

Jernigan & Ray, \$6,000.

J. W. Smith & Co., \$1,000.

Dunkerson & Thomson, \$1,000.

J. B. Waltrip & Son, \$1,400.

Don Rocco, \$400.

Dr. Ed Hayes had his dental office upstairs and lost his entire outfit.

The Opera Block was built in 1882 and 1883 and the Opera House was opened in the spring of 1883.

Deaths at Crofton.

Crofton, Ky., Feb. 1.—Mr. John A. Lewis died last Friday morning with pneumonia; he was buried with Masonic honors Saturday evening at the Clark cemetery 3 miles from Crofton.

Mrs. Dr. J. B. Williams of Morton's Gap is visiting her father's family, A. B. Croft.

John Clark died last Thursday night with La Grippe; he was buried Saturday at Charles by the Masonic order of Lexington and St. Charles.

Esq. G. H. Myers, who has been very ill, is slowly recovering and will soon be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woodson of Paris, Tenn., are here on a visit.

Mr. G. W. Morgan, who has been confined to his bed for the past week, is improving.

W. E. Gray has secured a school at Kirksville for this spring.

Judge V. C. Clark was taken sick Friday night and is confined to his room and is very sick.

Prof. W. W. Armer commences his spring school to-day at the Academy.

New Senators Elected.

North Carolina—J. C. Pritchard, Rep.

Indiana—Charles W. Fairbanks, Rep.

Illinois—W. E. Mason, Rep. Kansas—Wm. A. Harris, Pop.

Missouri—George G. Vest, Dem. Connecticut—Orville H. Platt, Rep.

New Hampshire—Jacob H. Gallinger, Rep.

New York—Thomas C. Platt, Rep. Pennsylvania—Boise Penrose, Rep.

Arkansas—James K. Jones, Dem. North Dakota—H. C. Hansbrough, Rep.

Washington—Geo. F. Turner, Pop. South Carolina—Jos. H. Earle, Dem.

Idaho—Henry Heitfeld, Pop. Democrats are still on in Oregon, South Dakota and Utah.

Will Vote on Feb. 19.

After a long contest the drys have won in the preliminary skirmish and a vote will be taken in Daviess county on the question of prohibiting the sale of liquor in the entire county in quantities of less than five gallons. The vote will be taken on Feb. 19 and the registration of voters in Owensboro, who have been qualified since October will be on Feb. 13. Judge Feland, who acted as special judge in some of the litigation, says the opinion prevails in Owensboro that the county will go dry.

Church Hill Grange.

The following new officers of Church Hill Grange were installed at the last meeting:

J. W. Riley, Worthy Master.

R. C. Gary, Worthy Overseer.

J. A. Browning, Worthy Lecturer.

J. W. Lander, Worthy Steward.

J. H. Adams, W. Asst. Steward.

J. M. Adams, Worthy Treasurer.

J. M. King, Worthy Secretary.

J. M. Gary, Worthy Gate-keeper.

Miss Lizzie Owen, Pomona.

Mrs. W. S. Pierce, Ceres.

Miss Georgia Gregory, Flora.

Miss Mattie Sue Browning, Lady Asst. Steward.

Miss Carrie King, Librarian.

J. L. Caudle, Business agent.

Dr. Rinkhart, of Springfield, Ky., is trying the experiment of raising a prematurely-born child in an incubator. The infant is now fifteen days old and is growing.

Mrs. Caroline Hendricks made an argument before the Indiana Supreme Court, the first speech ever made by a woman lawyer before that tribunal.

DUN AND BRADSTREET.

Month of January Has Been one of Unusually Disappointments.

New York, Jan. 29.—R. G. Dun & Co. will say to-morrow in their weekly review of trade:

January has been a month of disappointment but of real gain. Nearly everybody has promised himself a lead of milk and honey after New Year's and the slow progress looks like a myth to men in such a state of mind. Moreover, there are multitudes throughout the country who have been taking large ventures in advance of or apart from their regular business, because they expected a rise in prices. But prices fall as yet to bring them profits. Wheat has declined severely, cotton has scarcely risen enough to pay brokerage; wool holds steady, woolen goods hardly changed in price, iron and its products decline, leather is sluggish and hides are lower; for some shoes manufacturers accept a shade in lower prices.

Failures for the week have been 531 in the United States against 432 last year, and 57 in Canada against 70 last year.

New York, Jan. 29.—Bradstreet's to-morrow will say: There has been a falling off in general trade, owing to the heavy fall of snow and cold weather. There is an increase in distribution of heavy winter goods, but commercial travelers very generally report buyers are even more conservative than early in the month, and that the whole trading in January, except in lines specified, is smaller than for years. Mercantile collections are interrupted and the improvement looked for in iron and steel is not in sight.

TWO MORE SENATORS.

These Populists Will Succeed Dubois and Squire.

Boise City, Idaho, January 28.—Henry Heitfeld, Populist, was to-day elected United States Senator to succeed Dubois. The decisive ballot was: Heitfeld, 33; Dubois, 30; T. F. Nelson, 1. Heitfeld got 14 Democratic votes and one Republican; Dubois 4 Democratic votes.

Heitfeld is a farmer, and represents Nez Perce County in the State Senate. His age is 38. His education is apparently only of a rudimentary character.

Olympio, Wash., January 28.—George F. Turner, of Spokane, was to-night nominated for United States Senator in a caucus of Populist and free silver Republicans. He received 54 votes. Judge Turner has been a Republican, but at the last election he supported Bryan. He is considered one of the ablest lawyers in the state of Washington. From 1884 to 1888 he was Territory Governor. Within the last two years he has become largely interested in mines in Idaho and Washington and British Columbia.

Assaulted Near Fulton.

Fulton, Ky., Jan. 28.—Miss Lydia Carver, 17 years old, daughter of Mr. John Carver, a prominent farmer who lives three miles north of Fulton, was choked into ineffectuality yesterday by a negro and outraged. Mr. Carver had gone to a neighbor's about a mile distant. Miss Carver went to the barn for eggs. Entering the building she was seized by the negro. Parties are out scouring the country.

Appoints His Brother As.

Russellville, Ky., Jan. 27.—John S. Rhea has appointed his brother, Mr. A. G. Rhea, his private secretary. Mr. Rhea is at present Teller in the Bank of Russellville, and has held the position for several years. He has been connected with the bank in various ways for eighteen years. He will resign his position in the bank at once. Mr. Rhea is one of the most popular young men in Russellville.

The Eighth Since November.

S. F. Lankin, president of the People's Bank, at Milan, committed suicide last week, taking morphine. Rankin was a prominent man in Milan, a religious man, superintendent of the Sunday school and a well thought of gentleman by all who knew him. It is said that financial trouble was the cause of his demise.—Fulton Guard.

The Lot Sale Friday.

Mr. R. M. Conways sale of lots in the John Young track on West Seventh street Friday, did not come up to expectations and the transfers were not made by Mr. Young. They will try it again when the weather gets better.

He Skinned the Milk.

Esq. M. B. King on Dec. 11 put up a lot of shots averaging 80 pounds to feed them on skinned milk from his creamery. He fed them milk twice a day and corn once a day and when they were weighed 46 days later they averaged 166 pounds, or a gain of nearly 14 pounds a day. Who can beat that?

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

PEELPS—We are authorized to announce Judge John Phelps as a candidate for Circuit Judge of the 27th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic party. President convention, April 8, 1897, at Murray, Ky.

HANBERRY—We are authorized to announce Judge T. T. Hanberry as a candidate for commonwealth's Attorney in the Third Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic convention April 8.

A negro barber named E. L. Penn, has been arrested at Pembroke charged with arson.

Mr. Bryan made his last bureau lecture at Galveston last night. If he speaks any more it will be on his own hook.

Of course Idaho's new Senator returned his Reiliff it thanks when he was elected, though he is said to be a statesman who can't make a speech.

The Henderson Gleaser was muled for \$800 in a libel suit Saturday, based on an article published a year ago about a shooting scrape.

The worse thing yet brought to light about Lyman J. Gage, Carlisle's successor after March 4, is that he once vowed for Grover Cleveland.

John Clark Ridpath, the historian of Greenville, Ind., has accepted the position of editor-in-chief of the Arena magazine, and will at once go to Boston to assume his new duties.

Tom Platt, of New York, who resigned as Senator in 1881, has been vindicated, but his endorsement is a sort of 16 to 1 affair. That is it took him 16 years to get one vindication.

Future Secretary of Treasury Gage, it is said is worth only \$300,000. What he begins with does not concern the public as much as what he will quit with. How much will he be worth four years hence? That's the question.

Gov. Sadley has signed the prize fighting bill and Nevada now enjoys the distinction of being the only State where pugilistic mills are licensed. The Corbett-Pittsminson fight will start the ball in the early spring.

A young man named Lorell Whitesides was shot and killed at Franklin Ky., Saturday under arrest. He had cut Bailey Eidson in a fight and the latter went off and armed himself and shot Whitesides while he was in charge of an officer. Eidson's wounds may prove fatal.

Former Delegate Bob Walker, of 1892 memory, in declining to engage in a mutual kicking with the editor of this paper because both helped to give Cleveland his necessary 69 votes, this explains his position:

"However timely the suggestion may be, and however eminently proper such a performance would be, there are two very strong reasons for declining the meeting. In the first place the gold standard times have so materially reduced the thickness of our pants that a contest of the character suggested would likely be any thing but amusing; and in the second place, when we call to mind the great advantage Bro. Meacham would have in point of leverage, we are convinced the meeting would be any thing but mutual. However grievous the offense may be, brother, we are not prepared to accept capital punishment for the modest part we played in that memorial convention."

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If you will ask for it you will send your body the force it all about Scott's Emulsion. Free.

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Obituary.

(A tribute to the memory of Lucian Wootton.)

The loved and loving son, brother and friend, died when boyhood's days were yet vivid in his memory. Like the tender rose that modestly buds and holds concealed in its graceful petals untold sweetnesses, then perishes at the north wind's breath to wither and decay. So early in the morning of his life, just in the sunniest, happiest hour of all the day when the sun in tenderness bathes the forelands of distant hills and with its gentle rays kisses into life the blinking morning's glory, rich with dewy fragrances. When each little bird nestled near its mother's bosom caroled forth its little song of sweet contentment. O precious jewel and all creatures both great and small sipped at the nectar which bubbled from nature's own dear heart, and at the dawning of manhood's golden day he fell asleep in the arms of death. Could we but fathom the abyss of darkness and see beyond the sombre shades of night that curtain us from the awful mysteries of death, all would be plain to us, we would then know—precious—why death should claim for its own, the happiest, tenderest child among all the earth, but alas! alas! we cannot look into the pages of mystery and discern His everlasting will, but;

"For a note waiting hears that weep God still stretch his loving arms." Lucian's spirit was a tender one; no son could have been to parents more loving, no brother to brother more

devoted, no friend to friend more constant, and should every hand that had grasped his with warm and tender clasp bring to his grave a flower he would sleep beneath a monument of flowers that would tower into the starry heavens to scatter seeds of love to God and Angels.

Life to him was more than a passing dream and he knew full well that the quality of life was death, yet to him life was sweet and each day was full of increasing joys, and so to all is life sweet, yet, no matter if our every moment is jeweled with a joy and our every hour rich with love, no matter if every morning's sun shall rise in the curtains of light, undimmed by cloud or mist to sink with a tender blush into its golden bed beyond the twilight's purple hill, we must all become acquainted with death in its essence.

His life was so short and so sweet, his little star shot into the heavens but to glitter, tremble and go out. But a year ago life's goal seemed to him far distant in the horizon of the west and a moiety of his life seemed not nearly half spent when under night drew her death robes about her, coupled with awful mystery and dread like a summer's wind softly stealing over a sleeping valley she softly stole into his silent chamber and kissing down his eye-lids in peaceful slumber she sucked the honey of his breath and launched his ship in gentle peace upon that stormy sea that has never yet borne upon its bosom the image of a home-ward sail.

His little bark was wafted away upon the alternate waves of hope and despair and the soul that we loved has passed into the mists of silent aeth, and yet to those bathed in the blood of the lowly Galilean, there is no death.

"There is no death, what seems so is transition, it is but a change of life's station. It is but a change of life's station."

He held aloft for awhile his little torch of life and struggled hard to increase its flame, but God in his wisdom bade him come into the fold and peacefully and without a murmur he obeyed, and now,

"Sweet soul thy work all done,
Thine the night and infinite pain,
Thy slumber is sweet."
FRED PURCELL.

One of the Prison Commissioners at Frankfort asserts that the board will not dismiss Warden Happy, of the Edinburg penitentiary, as three of the five members will vote to retain Happy, no matter what may be the substance of Inspector Lester's report.

Tom J. Landrum, late of Bray & Landrum has formed a partnership with L. L. Landrum and will continue in the clothing business in Louisville.

Frost was felt as far South as Titusville, Fla. Only slight damage to the orange crop is reported, but the loss among the truck farmers will be severe.

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The following are the names and addresses of persons cured of cancer: James R. Newton, Wesley David, Mrs. T. J. Ford, Mrs. Thomas Nichols and Wm. Weaver, Bowling Green, Ky.; Mr. Jesse Thomas and Mrs. John Garrison, Polkville, Ky.; Mr. Frank E. Hill and Mrs. P. W. Glenn, Richardsville, Ky.; Mr. Joseph R. Hendrick, Sand Hill; Mr. Eastern Chaney, Three Springs, Hart County, Ky.; Mr. R. D. Anthony, Scottville, Ky.; Dr. J. H. Crain, Beechwood, Illinois; and many others. For circular containing full information address

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Mrs. S. W. Kirkpatrick, R. M. Anderson, Dr. Andrew Sargent, Mrs. Eldora Boyd, E. M. Sherwood, C. M. Armstrong, Mrs. B. K. Bronaugh, Mrs. C. P. Nolen, T. L. Metcalfe, T. E. Bartley, Ellis Roper, C. G. Layne, Mrs. S. A. Wade, Mrs. John Moayon, Mrs. Emma Boyd, J. G. Anderson, J. D. Anderson, P. C. Carter and others.

W. H. Izor, merchant of Keokuk, Ky., was found dead on the road between that place and Springfield, Tenn., with his neck broken.

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Nothing reserved. Every dollars' worth of goods to be sold at Actual Cost, and some less than cost. Don't delay but come at once and secure some of the many rich plums.

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Here is where you can get in your work with ready cash.
75c for choice of all my best gents shirts and drawers worth \$1.25 to \$2.
50c for choice of all my wool and fleeced lined underwear worth from 75c to \$1.
37c for choice of all my best 50c Merino shirts and drawers.
25c for choice of one lot of gents drawer, former price 50c and 75c.
38c for gents' jersey ribbed shirts and drawers, former price 75c.

Ladies' Un'wear.

Odds and ends in ladies' union suits, former price \$1.25 and \$1.50 reduced to 75c.
Odds and ends in ladies' union suits, former price 75c and \$1, reduced to 50c.
Ladies' red shirts and drawers, former price 75c, cut to 44c.
Ladies' grey shirt and drawers, former price 75c, cut to 44c.
Ladies' ribbed vest, former price 20c, cut to 15c.
Ladies' heavy ribbed pants, former price 35c, reduced to 25c.
One lot of ladies' fine all-wool undershirts, price \$1.25 and \$1.50 closing out price 75c.
Odds and ends in children's underwear, closing out one-half the original price, consisting of red and grey all-wool, white and grey merino and white ribbed shirts and drawers.

Gent's Shirts.

25 per cent or 1-4 off.

Gents' white laundried dress shirts, former price \$1, closing out at 75c.
Gents' white laundried dress shirts worth 50c, selling out price 38c.
Gents' white unlaundried shirts worth 50c, selling out price 38c.
Unlaundried white shirts, best made, worth 75c, selling out price 55c.
Men's work shirts worth 25c, selling out price 19c.
Men's work shirts for 40c, selling out price 30c.
Men's best heavy work shirts worth 50c selling out price 38c.
Men's fancy laundried shirts worth 50c, selling out price 37c.
Men's 4-ply linen collars worth 15c selling out price 10c.
Men's pure linen collars, odds and ends, worth 10c and 15c, choice 5c.
Gents' 4-ply linen cuffs, worth 20c selling out price 10c.
Gents' celluloid collars 5c.

1-3 off on all Gent's Heavy Work Gloves.

Gent's Susp'ders

Less Than Factory Prices

50c imported web suspenders..... 37c
35c elegant web suspenders..... 23c
30c elegant web suspenders..... 20c
25c nice neat web suspenders..... 19c
15c good neat web suspenders..... 9c
10c extra value suspenders..... 7c
10c boys' suspenders..... 5c

25c choice 25c.

For any 35c and 40c Canton Flannel Drawers in the house.

Come early, come often. Help to close out this stock as quickly as possible. Here is a chance to make good investments. This is no "fake sale," but a genuine closing out to quit sale.

NOTIONS.

Here are many useful articles that you may not need now, but come in handy later on, that are almost at half price. SEE:

Hair pins 3c per box, worth..... 5c
Brass pins 3c per paper, worth..... 5c
Agate buttons 3c each, worth..... 5c
Hooks and eyes 1c each, worth..... 2c
Pearl buttons 5c dozen, worth..... 10c
Machine thread 3c spool, worth..... 5c
Spool silk 3c spool, worth..... 5c
Spool twist 1c spool, worth..... 2c
Crochet silk 10c ball, worth..... 15c
Knitting cotton 4c ball, worth..... 10c
Linen thread 4c spool, worth..... 10c
Brass button 10c box, worth 15c
Whale bones 6c dozen, worth..... 10c
Finishing braid 5c bunch, worth 10c
Rick rack braid 5c bunch, worth 10c
Needles, best made, 3c bunch, worth 5c
Side combs 3c pair, worth..... 5c
Side combs 5c pair, worth..... 10c
Tumblers 2c, worth..... 5c
Ladies silk belts 10c each, worth 20c
Ladies silk belts 15c each, worth 25c
Choice of any late style leather corset or fancy silk belts for 15c, worth 25c and 35c.

19c CHOICE. 19c
Choice for any gents newswear in the house, worth from 25c to 50c.

Ribbons Less Than Cost.

No. 2 all pure silk ribbons 3c yd
No. 4 " " " 4c yd
No. 5 " " " 5c yd
No. 6 " " " 6c yd
No. 9 " " " 8c yd
No. 12 " " " 10c yd
No. 16 " " " 12c yd
No. 22 " " " 15c yd

LADIES'

Cloaks & Capes

CUT TO HALF PRICE.

Some to one-fourth original price. Examine these prices:
Ladies' light-weight jackets and Reelers, former price 3.50 to 6.00, come and take choice for \$1.00
Ladies' Long Cloaks, last years' styles, large sleeve, just the thing for rough wear, former price 6.00 to 12.00, come take your choice for..... \$2.95
The cloth in these cloaks is worth three times the money.
\$10 Seal Plush Cape, beaded & braided, latest style, closing out at..... \$5.00
\$8.00 Seal Plush Cape, plain, changeable silk lining, closing out at..... \$4.00
\$8.00 Finest Beaver Cape, piped with satin, closing price..... \$4.00
\$7.50 Double Cape, fine fur trimming, cut to..... \$3.75
\$6.50 Extra heavy beaver double cape, braid trimming, cut to \$3.25
\$5.00 Capes, braid trimming, long and heavy, cut to..... \$2.50
\$4.00 single Beaver Cape, braid and fur trim cut to..... \$2.25
A few childrens long Cloaks on hand, worth from 2.50 to 4.50, come take your choice for \$1.25.

A Car Load of Trunks and valises, just from the factory, go at actual factory prices

Gloves and Mitts

Choice of all 25c and 20c Ladies' Gloves for..... 15c
Choice of all 25c and 20c Ladies' Mitts for..... 15c
Choice of all 15c and 20c Children's Mitts for..... 15c
Choice of all 15c Ladies' Gloves for..... 10c

Ladies.
Here's your chance. My entire stock of Stamped Linens at one-third off regular price.

CLOTHING!

1-3 Off Any Suit.

1-2 Off Any Overcoat.

SEE PRICES BELOW:

Men's clay worsted frock suits, former price \$15, reduced to 10 00
Men's clay worsted sack suits, former price \$12, reduced to 8 00
Men's clay worsted sack suits, former price 10, reduced to 6 67
Men's fine all wool cassimere suits, former price \$12.50, closing out price..... 8 37
Men's very latest all wool cassimere suits, former price \$10, closing price..... 6 67
Men's black cheviot suits, former price \$7.50, closing price 5 00
Men's gray and brown cassimere suits, former price \$9 closing price..... 5 00

A Few Odds and Ends in Cassimere Suits At Half Price.

Young Men's Clay worsted Sack Suits, sizes 16 to 19; former price \$9, closing price..... 6 00
Young Men's all wool Cassimere Suits, sizes 16 to 19; former price \$9 closing price..... 4 00
Young Men's Cassimere Suits, sizes 16 to 19; former price \$7 closing price..... 4 67
Young Men's Cassimere Suits, sizes 16 to 18; former price \$5, closing price..... 3 33
Young Men's Cassimere suits, sizes 15 to 18; former price \$4.50, closing price..... 3 00
Boys' Nice Cassimere Suits, sizes 17 to 17; former price \$3.50, cut to 2 33
Boys' Satinett Suits, sizes 11 to 13, long pants, former price \$3, cut to..... 2 00

CHILDREN'S KNEE SUITS.

\$1.50 Children's suits reduced to..... 95c
1 00 Children's suits reduced to..... 67c
2 00 Children's suits reduced to..... 1 33
2 50 Children's knee suits reduced to..... 1 67
3 00 Children's knee suits reduced to..... 1 95
4 00 Children's knee suits, closing out price..... 2 67
5 00 Children's knee suits, closing out price..... 3 33
6 00 Children's knee suits, closing out price..... 3 33

MEN'S PANTS.

\$5.00 Finest pants cut to..... 3 33
4 25 Fine cassimere pants cut to..... 2 83
4 50 Fine cassimere pants cut to..... 3 00
3 75 Fine cassimere pants cut to..... 2 50
2 50 mens' cassimere pants cut to..... 1 67
2 00 mens' cassimere pants cut to..... 1 33
1 50 Mens' cassimere pants cut to..... 95c
3 00 Mens' extra corduroy pants cut to..... 2 00
2 50 Heavy corduroy pants cut to..... 1 67
2 00 Nice corduroy pants cut to..... 1 33
1 50 All-wool filling jeans pants cut to..... 1 15
1 25 All-wool filling jeans pants cut to..... 95c
75 Cents cotton jeans pants, lined, cut to..... 50c

One-Third Off any pair Boys' Pants in the House.

OVERCOATS

HAFL-PRICE.

\$10.00 Overcoats cut to..... \$ 5.00
15 50 Overcoats cut to..... 6 75
8 50 Overcoats cut to..... 4 25
6 00 Overcoats cut to..... 3 00
5 00 Overcoats cut to..... 2 50
4 50 Overcoats cut to..... 2 25
4 00 Boys overcoats cut to..... 2 00
3 00 Boys overcoats cut to..... 1 50
3 50 Childs overcoats cut to..... 1 75

DRESS GOODS.

Ladies, do not let this chance slip by. You will never buy Dress Goods at such low prices again. I must close out my entire stock as rapidly as possible and have determined to make such low prices that will attract your attention. Come at once if you want to get the choice bargains.

55c Finest silk finish black Henrietta, 45 in. wide, closing out price..... 65c
75c Fine jet black Henrietta, 44 in. wide, closing out price..... 65c
90c Black all wool Henrietta, 44 in. wide, closing out price..... 44c
40c Black all wool Henrietta, 40 in. wide, closing out price..... 30c
75c Fancy dressable suitings, only two patterns, closing out price 39c
50c All wool 40 in. Serge, closing out price..... 35c
50c All wool striped suiting, closing out price..... 25c
35c All wool 38 inch serge, closing out price..... 22c
50c Gray plaids, closing out price 35c
25c Fancy suitings, very latest, closing out price..... 15c
15c wool filling fancy suitings, closing out price..... 10c
10c Wool Poplin, good assortment of colors..... 7c
4c a yard..... for Kid Cambray
8c a yard..... for Sealing lining
8c a yard..... for Duck lining
8c a yard..... for Hair cloth
3c a yard..... for cross bar Crinoline
10c a yard..... for cream fibre Chambray

Sattens and Gingham.

10c closing price on 12 1/2 yard Sattens..... 10c
8c closing price on 15c fancy satten 15c " 20c black " 13 1/2 " 18c black " 11c " 15c black " 10c ch'by g'ing. " 7c dress g'ing.

Flannels Cheaper Than Ever

Known.

12 1/2 White twill cotton flannel 8 1/2 10c
15c white wool mixed " 7c
20c " " 15c
30c " " 25c
40c " " 25c
20c Navy blue twill " 20c
20c Plaid Linsey..... 12c
22c Plaid wool flannel..... 12c
25 in. water proof black navy and green, worth 60c, closing out price..... 38c

CORSETS.

I handle nothing but the best makes, such as:
G. D. worth \$1.25, selling out price 82c
C. B. worth \$1, selling out price 75c
G. D. Extra long waist, selling out price..... 58c
Broadway woven, selling out price 38c
Extra heavy blk, selling out price 44c
Exposition 50c corset, selling out price..... 38c
Model form, extra long, selling out price..... 44c
G. D. Nursing \$1 selling out price 75c
Misses corsets 36, selling out price 25c
Odds and ends in 60 and 75c corsets, selling out price..... 25c

And Here's Another!

Corticeo, Filo, Etching and E. E. Embroidery silk at 39c per dozen. Full line of colors to select from.

—COME QUICK—

BLANKETS

and Comforts.

\$3.00 Blankets, all wool, now..... \$2.00
2 75 blankets, mixed, now..... 1 90
2 25 blankets, mixed, now..... 1 50
1 50 bed comforts, closing out 1 00
1 25 bed comforts, closing out 85c
1 15 bed comforts, closing out 75c

Towels, Table clothes and napkins.

Stock limited, come quick if you want to secure some bargains.
Cotton huck towels, closing out..... 4c
Cotton huck towels, extra large..... 8c
Large size linen towels..... 10c
Extra large damask towels..... 20c
30c bleached table cloth closing at 22c
35c unbleached table cloth closing 25c
45c unbleached table cloth closing 35c
50c half bleached table cloth now 39c
40c red, fast color table cloth closing out price..... 25c
35c floor oil cloth..... 25c
5c for fancy curtain serim worth..... 8c
7c for fancy curtain serim worth 12c
12c for Lowell 10-4 brown sheeting.
16c for Pepperell 10-4 Bleach sheeting.
10c for fine sheer India linen worth 15c
44c for fine Satin, worth..... 75c
60c for fine silk Velvet, worth..... 85c
5c for pure linen crash, worth..... 7c
6c for pure linen crash, worth..... 5c
7c for pure linen crash, worth..... 10c
8c for pure linen crash, worth..... 12c
I have on hand a few white goods in dimity checks and stripes, also laces and embroidery which I will close out at less than cost.

Now is a Good Time to Buy Your Jeans.

25c wool filling Jeans to close..... 20c
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35c Humbolt Dowskin to close..... 25c
35c unheated wool fill Jeans to close..... 25c
50c Mississippi wool fill Jeans to close..... 35c

Just Received

200 Silk Gloria Umbrellas, for ladies and men. New, stylish and elegant. Will be closed out with balance of stock at factory cost.

A Few Hosiery Bargains.

Heavy black Ladies hose, closing out..... 7c
Crested black Ladies hose, closing out..... 7c
15c fast black seamless ladies hose, closing out..... 10c
20c fast black seamless ladies hose, closing out..... 15c
25c Hermsdorf seamless ladies hose, closing out..... 18c
35c silk finish ladies hose, closing out..... 25c
Boy's Franklin black bicycle hose, closing out at 20c. This stocking is equal to any 35c stocking in the market.
10c for choice of any 15 and 20c child's hose in the house.
6c for heavy straw ticking worth 10c.
15c for heavy straw ticking worth 15c.
All staple goods such as calico, domestics, shirting, etc, will be sold at actual Eastern cost. Everything goes.

5 Show Cases

FOR SALE,

To be delivered within 60 days.



E. FRANKEL.

Shryer's Corner, Hopkinsville, Ky.

HERE AND THERE

There seems to be a lull in the matrimonial market.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Skating came to an end Sunday, as the thaw broke up the ice.

The Tandy place, corner Clay and 16th street, six room cottage, is for rent for 1897. Apply at this office.

Circuit Court convened in Cadiz yesterday and will be in session three weeks.

This is the month to trim your trees and vines, plant your Irish potatoes and sow your sweet peas.

Several Fairview farmers have sold their tobacco loose at prices ranging from \$4 to \$8 around.

Everybody who improved the golden opportunity laid in a full supply of ice from 3 to 5 inches thick.

Evangelist H. C. Morrison is under promise to hold a meeting at the Tabernacle in this city in April next.

There were services of any kind at the Baptist church Sunday. A water pipe burst and it was impossible to heat the church.

Dr. James Hedley's lecture at the Tabernacle last night was attended by a very large crowd of highly pleased auditors. Dr. Hedley is a great favorite here and never fails to meet with an enthusiastic reception.

The Local Christian Endeavor Union had a special service at the First Presbyterian church Sunday night, to celebrate the Society's sixteenth anniversary. All of the churches having Endeavor societies took part in the union meeting.

Mr. O. E. Layne, of this city, has sold his home in Fairview to Mrs. M. A. Steele, wife of the late J. D. Steele.

The Woman's Parsonage and Home Mission Society of the Methodist church will hold an open meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. There will be music and recitations. A collection will be taken for the benefit of Mountain School at London, Ky. The public is cordially invited.

"Uncle Josh Spruceby," at Holland's Opera House Friday night, proved to be one of the really meritorious shows of the season. The performance was made up largely of specialties, the singing of Miss Ida Burnett being a pleasing part. The singing was good and the play itself well conceived and presented in a very capable manner.

PERSONAL GOSPEL

Messrs. W. R. Howell and Buckner Leavelle attended court at Cadiz yesterday.

Mr. W. L. Waller, of Madisonville, has been in this city several days visiting relatives.

Miss Mildred Wharton, of Cadiz, returned home Friday after a visit of two weeks to friends in the city and county.

Miss Willie Radford left this morning for Lake Weir, Fla., to join her brother, who will be there for some weeks on business.

Miss Katie McDaniel, Prof. C. H. Dietrich and Mr. L. McCarty attended the district teachers' meeting at Henderson Saturday.

Mr. Jno. T. Edmunds and his sister Miss Lucy Edmunds left this morning for Jacksonville Fla. They will spend a month or more at various winter resorts in that state.

MATRIMONIAL

PRIM-MORRIS.—Mr. John M. Prim, of Elmo, and Miss Etta, of Pembroke, eloped to Clarksville and were married last Thursday. Both are members of prominent families and are very popular young society people.

FEELER-WILKINS.—Mr. J. H. Fuller and Miss Annie E. Wilkins, well known young people of North Christian, were married in Ebenezer Church Sunday. Rev. Claude Corlies, of the Baptist church, officiating.

SAVING

J. T. Hall, city scavenger can be reached by telephone at any time. Call No. 32.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the foot against stoma ailments. Manufactured by ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

Church Hill, Ky., Feb. 1.—On Saturday afternoon the Church Hill Culture Club met at the home of Miss Mattie Sue Browning. Miss Mary Stoner, our worthy President, presiding. Seventeen members were present. The following program was rendered:

Duet—Misses Browning and Adcock.

Vanity and Vanities—Jerome K. Jerome—Miss Holloway.

Selection from Moore—Mrs. Boyd.

Grey's Elegy—Miss Kimberlin.

Work—Jean Ingelow—Miss Adcock.

Poem—Miss Browning.

Prison—Mrs. Holloway.

Selection from Lucile—Miss McClanahan.

"Samantha at Saratoga"—Mr. Fox Hawley.

Poem—Mrs. Stowe.

Swanee River—Miss Owen.

Selection from Jerome K. Jerome—Mr. Frank Holloway.

Music—Miss Browning.

At the request of the President we wish to call special attention to the next meeting which will be held at the home of Mrs. Belle Stowe, on Saturday afternoon February 13th. We especially request all members to be present, as it is the time appointed for the election of officers. All who are interested in the culture of the mind and heart, and in good books, are cordially invited to be with us, and we will gladly welcome all who will join us in this good work. "He most lives who thinks most, feels the noblest, acts the best." Also at this meeting will be rehearsed the program for an open meeting which will be held in the Grange Hall on Washington's birthday at 8 o'clock p. m. Public invited.

Lawyers Can Cry If They Like.

The Supreme Court of Tennessee has just passed upon a new question; that is, the right of an attorney to cry in making his appeal to a jury. The opinion delivered by Judge Wilkes, says: "Tears have always been considered legitimate arguments before a jury; indeed, if counsel has an command it may be seriously questioned whether it is not his professional duty to shed them whenever proper occasion arises, provided they be not indulged in to such an extent as to impede the business of the Court."

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STOVE SNAPS....

For A Few Days Only.

BUY WHILE THIS OFFER LASTS.

No. 3 Echo Heating Stoves,	\$1.00
No. 4 " " Stoves,	1.80
No. 1 Laundry Heat.	2.00
No. 6 Echo " " " "	2.20
No. 6 Franklin " " " "	2.20
No. 2 Foster " " " "	3.60
No. 8 Crown Heater for wood or coal.	3.60
No. 10 Home Star Heater	4.50
No. 12 " " " "	5.50
No. 14 " " " "	6.50
No. 10 Round Franklin	7.50
No. 12 " " " "	8.50
No. 14 " " " "	9.50
Fire Stoves	3c
Coal Hods	8c
Pokers	5c

These Prices For This Week Only.

THE BIG STORE

THE RACKET.

J. H. KUHLER, Owner.

DEATHS.

IBIG BLAZE AT PRINCETON.

Two Store Rooms and Their Contents Totally Destroyed.

Princeton, Ky., Jan. 29.—Fire broke out in Kaufmann & Goldamer's dry goods and clothing store, in Powell's block, this morning about 4:30 o'clock. It quickly spread and the adjoining building, occupied by Arch, Cash & Bro. as a grocery, and Calvert Bros. as a tobacco factory, was also enveloped in the flames.

The hardware store of Charles Ratliff, adjoining Cash & Bro., was for a time seriously threatened, but by hard work was saved from destruction.

Kaufmann & Goldamer's loss is about \$12,000; insurance \$10,000. Cash, Ratliff's building and stock were injured to the extent of \$500; no insurance.

No one seems to know how the fire originated.

Dr. Joseph Miller had his office over Kaufmann & Goldamer's, and all of his office furniture and apparatus were destroyed. The insurance will cover the loss. The double building which burned was valued at \$5,000, and was fully insured.

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